

Table 5. Balance of Trade by Major Trading Partners: August 2001
 F.O.B. Value in Million U.S. Dollars)

Country	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade
Total	5,204.64	2,584.11	2,620.53	36.42
1 United States of America 1/	1,151.44	422.69	728.75	306.06
2 Japan 2/	885.09	517.87	367.22	(150.65)
3 Singapore	320.83	145.20	175.63	30.43
4 Netherlands	306.17	18.61	287.56	268.96
5 Taiwan	297.31	134.89	162.42	27.53
6 Korea, Republic of	269.63	169.56	100.07	(69.49)
7 Hongkong	242.50	104.30	138.20	33.90
8 Thailand	194.27	89.56	104.71	15.15
9 Malaysia 3/	191.30	83.90	107.40	23.50
10 China, people's Republic of	171.71	90.19	81.52	(8.67)
11 Germany	150.99	54.30	96.68	42.38
12 Saudi Arabia	97.98	94.36	3.62	(90.74)

1/ includes Alaska and Hawaii
 2/ includes Okinawa
 3/ includes Sabah and Sarawak

Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding

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